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## DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

### Division of Oil, Gas & Mining

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### Inspection Report

### Minerals Regulatory Program

### June 28, 2012

Reviewed: 

<b>Mine Name:</b> Rockland	<b>Permit Number:</b> M0150040
<b>Operator Name:</b> Miracle Rock Mining & Research	<b>Inspection Date:</b> June 27, 2012
<b>Inspector(s):</b> Wayne Western	<b>Time:</b> 10:00 10:40 AM
<b>Other Participants:</b> None	<b>Mine Status:</b> ACT
<b>Weather Condition:</b> Hot and clear skies.	<b>Last Inspection:</b> 07-29-2008
<b>Bond Renewal Date:</b> June 24, 2014	<b>Bond Amount:</b> \$130,428.00
<b>Surface Ownership:</b> SITLA	<b>Mineral Ownership:</b> SITLA
<b>Last Year of Production:</b> 2009 13008 tons	<b>Acreage:</b> 7

Elements of Inspection	Evaluated	Comment	Enforcement
1. Permits, Revisions, Transfer,	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Bond/Bond Release	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Annual Fees	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Annual Report	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Public Safety (shafts, adits, trash, signs, highwalls)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Protection of Drainages / Erosion Control	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Deleterious Material	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Roads (maintenance, surfacing, dust control, safety)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Concurrent Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Backfilling/Grading (trenches, pits, roads, highwalls, shafts, drill holes)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Water Impoundments	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12. Soils	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13. Re-vegetation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
14. Air Quality	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
15. Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

#### Purpose of Inspection:

This was a routine inspection.

#### Inspection Summary:

The bond appears to be adequate and the renewal in in 2014.

The permit fees were paid on February 27, 2012.

The Permittee did not sent in an annual report for 2011.

The portals were closed and locked. However, there is enough space between the barricade and rock that a person could access the mine.

There were no signs of erosion.

The roads were in good shape.

**Conclusions and Recommendations:**

The Division should continue to monitor the site and the Permittee should submit the annual report.

**Directions to Site:**

**Inspector's Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

WHW:

cc: (OPERATOR)

John Blake, SITLA

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East portal



West portal





Open pit with 25 foot highwalls



Open pit areas.